## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Brian McConnell

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System

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## REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND RESPONSE

Mail Stop RCE Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants file this Response in conjunction with a Request for Continued Examination ("RCE") to satisfy the "submission" requirement of 37 C.F.R. § 1.114. This Response is being filed in response to the Advisory Action mailed May 2, 2006, and is accompanied by a Petition for Extension of Time of three months to extend the due date to July 23, 2006. Please amend the above-referenced application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.